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## Wedding

On Saturday afternoon, December 6th, Miss Olive M. Pound, of Atlee, was united in marriage to Robert Campbell Thomson, also of Atlee. The ceremony was conducted at the United Church Manse by the Rev. Geo. A. Shields.

The young couple will make their home at Atlee, and we wish them every happiness.

## Prize Winners

At a recent drawing of numbers, held in connection with a raffle in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital, Prelate, the following were successful:

574 1st prize, \$25, Jos. Kunz, Prelate, Sask. 807, 2nd prize, embroidered linen cloth, L. D. Robinson, Fox Valley, 645, 3rd prize, large doll, Mrs. Theaker, Prelate 1518, 4th prize, ladies' coat, Mrs. Grams co Mrs. J. Gorman, Glidden, Sask. 2457, 5th prize, woolen blankets, Annie Seimpp, Leader, Sask. 1482 6th prize, large quilt, Paul Schmidt, Leader, 933, 7th prize, large bedspread, Anna Fittner, Prelate, 1028, 8th prize, \$10.00 gold piece, Miss M. B. Kosuloff, sky, Prelate, 2808, 9th prize,

## United Church

Church School 200 p.m.  
Public Worship, 7.30 p.m.

### A Service of Music

"The music of the Church expresses the soul's search for God, and at this worship hour we wish to sing the old favorites of the Church and renew acquaintance with their authors and see if we cannot glean seeds of truth from this rich Christian heritage of praise and worship."

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We invite you to worship with us.

Rev. Geo. A. Shields, Minister.

## Estray

On premises of Con. Thompson, S.E. 25 21 9, w. 4th, Grey Stalls, about three years old, no visible brand.

one large ham, Wilhelmina Scherger, Krupp, Sask. 2900, 10th prize, leather suit case, Mr. Smarzyk, Empress, Alta.

## Married People's Club

### Have Enjoyable Evening

"The Married People's Club" put on another very successful social evening in the theatre on Tuesday night. Over sixty members set down to an enjoyable variety whist drive. Mrs. J. Stanley won the ladies' prize, Mr. E. McGill and Mr. Wm. Higginson were tied for the gentlemen's prize. Cards were drawn and Mr. McGill was declared the winner. A very enjoyable session of dancing followed. Chet's Orchestra rendered the music. Features of the evening was that everyone was to be attired in workday dress, and large of candy and peanuts were served. The Club can record another very successful evening.

## Farmers of Saskatchewan

### Protected Against Tax Sales

Assurance that the farmers of Saskatchewan will not lose title to their homes, at the present time, by way of tax sale purchases, has been given by the Saskatchewan Government in a statement issued to the press by the Hon. Howard McCannell, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Provincial Treasurer.

The Government intends to take the following measures to meet the situation—

1.—At the 1929 short session of the Legislature, the time before which tax sale purchases of tax sale certificates certificates covering tax sales held in 1927 and prior to that date, were allowed to get title to the land so purchased, was extended to the end of this year, if the municipal councils passed necessary resolutions to this effect. The Government is now instructing local registrars in our Land Titles offices throughout Saskatchewan, to withhold the issuance of all certificates of title to tax sale purchasers until the end of February, 1931.

2.—To change the penalty accruing on tax arrears from 8 per cent, to 4 per cent for the first six months of the year, with an additional 4 per cent for the second six months, same to apply only to rural municipalities and local improvement districts, such legislation to take effect on, from an after January 1, 1931.

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## "SANDY'S"

## Discuss Municipality Question

A meeting of the farmers south-west of town, took place in the Leland hall, on Saturday evening, December 6. The question under discussion was a proposal to form the Tilley East Area into one large municipality. Mr. J. Barnes, represented the Tilley East Area Board and outlined reasons for the proposal. Much discussion took place but no definite conclusions were arrived at. It was arranged that another meeting be called as soon as possible. W. C. Smith, M.P.P., who was present, is to secure certain figures and data on the area. J. Barnes is away to Edmonton, and is endeavoring to arrange for the presence of a full membership of the Board at the next meeting.

## Octopus Add Variety

### In Canada's Fishing

Perhaps few Canadians are aware of the fact that the octopus is among the fishes taken in the Pacific coast waters of the Dominion. There's a wonderful variety, indeed, in Canada's fisheries resources in 1928. British Columbia fishermen landed over 35,000 pounds of the strange looking, eight armed octopus and in 1929 more than 28,000 pounds. The fish are eaten chiefly by Orientals in the province and bring between five and ten cents a pound on the market.

No fishing for octopus alone is carried on, but the fish are incidental product of other fishing operations. For the most part, they are taken in the nets of small druggers.

Over 37,000 pounds of caviar was produced in Canada last year from sturgeon roe.

3.—To reduce the penalty which becomes attached when land is sold for taxes from 10 per cent, to 8 per cent, such reductions to apply on all tax sale certificates bought in by municipalities from the date of such sale and at present held by them or which they may in future acquire; and to apply on all amounts owing on tax sale certificates purchased by any person held this year and afterwards.

4.—To extend for a further period of one year, the time before which any tax sale purchaser can get title to any land bought by him at a tax sale in the year 1928 or prior to that date.

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. N. Bascarr who underwent an appendicitis operation at the Empress hospital, on Monday, is progressing favorably.

G. D. Thomas, was treated for a fractured right wrist. He had sustained his injuries in a fall from the running board of a locomotive while engaged in his employment as a "viper" at the local roundhouse. He also suffered a sprained left wrist.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. F. Stanley, Sunday, November 30, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Becker, Burdall, December 7, a son.

## Canadian Farmer Wins

### World's Wheat Championship

Herman Treble, of Wembley, Alberta, kept the wheat championship in Canada by winning first place in the wheat sweepstakes in the International Hay and Grain Show, Chicago, on Wednesday, December 3.

This is the second time Treble has won the highest award for wheat at the big Chicago show. His first victory was in 1927.

Geo. Avery, of Kedes, Sask., won the reserve championship. Treble's winning sample of wheat was of the Howard strain, of the Marquis type, and weighed 67.5 pounds to the bushel.

W. C. Smith, M.P., expects to be in Empress on Monday, December 15, and will be pleased to meet any person having any business to discuss with him.

## St. Mary's Church

Sunday morning, December 14th, at 11 o'clock: Holy Communion Service.  
Rev. C. M. K. Parsons, Priest-in-Charge.

## Make Your Card Selections

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## "This Mad World"

The action takes place during the German occupation of Alsace in the recent World War. Victoria, wife of a German general, is billeted in the home of a French woman, and discovers from a photograph that Paul, the woman's son, is a French spy. Victoria returns to visit his mother, Victoria attempts to notify the German headquarters, but is thwarted by the plans of mother and son, the latter succeeding in luring her to a deserted chalet where he expects to put her out of the way.

Here fate takes a hand, and Paul finding himself desperately in love with the beautiful German woman releases her on obtaining her promise of secrecy. When subsequently, Victoria calls to Emilie, whom she believes to be her countryman, but is Paul's conspirator, her faithfulness is again revealed to mother and son who resort to a startling climax which changes on the forces of patriotism.

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## What Have You Learned About Life?

A world-wide organization of men recently conducted a contest, requesting letters on the subject: "What Have I Learned About Life?" Numerous replies were received, and the writer of this column feels that he cannot better this week than pass on one of the prize-winning essays. It is brief, and to the point, and reads:

"I used to drive my father's car on the country roads. While bouncing along over the rough rut on the left side, the left part of the road often appeared more inviting; but once on that side I inevitably found it just as rough or worse.

"This is the first lesson I have learned about the roadway of life. The other side is deceiving. The boy longs to be a man, and the old man glorifies the golden days of his youth. The poor yearns to be rich, while a larger income consistently calls for more expense. But the successes and gains of life are not in the future or the past, nor in the other man's back yard. They lie within our own reach at the present time and in the present conditions. Life has lined us up for an even start.

"The second thing I have learned about life is that God hasn't finished the job. We rejoice in the accomplishments of science, religion and social relationships, but yet in the crowded ways of life we find vice, strife, unbrotherliness, political corruption and the curse of a maldistributed industrial order. Civilization is in its infancy, and its growth will depend on one of the present generation. There are still new worlds for men to conquer.

"It doesn't take long for one to learn that there is no getting by in the long run of life. Being born into the world with this or that fortune or pedigree does not guarantee that one shall have a sturdy character and a personality that shines like the morning sun. Regardless of where a man starts in life those things of lasting value, education, religion, business power, a strong and virile physique and a happy home life are obtained only by long hours of patient and arduous toil and self-discipline which alone are the harbingers of a radiant and masterful personality. There are no sales and charge accounts in the market place of life. The price of the best is constant.

"Finally I have learned that there is enough happiness in life to go around. No man is cut off from his heritage of happiness even though it be interspersed with hardships and sorrows. To be able to see the vision of life's task in spite of the cramped quarters of a small job; to find outlet of soul and character in stooping to help a brother while persecuted by others; to rejoice in the exaltation of personality while crumpled in the wheels of industrialism; and to be happy in a great and thrilling quest with the fresh dawn of each immortal day—this is the major lesson of life.

## Shipping Asbestos To Japan

About Eighty Per Cent Is Produced In Canada

"The market in Japan for asbestos in lump, powder and fibre, as well as in packing and other forms is increasing year by year owing to the expansion of industrial plants using this material and to the great variety of uses to which asbestos products are being put in everyday life," according to James A. Langley, commercial secretary to the Canadian Legation at Tokyo, Japan, in an article in the October issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal.

About 80 per cent. of the asbestos used in Japan comes directly from Canada, a small percentage from Russia and the balance through one or two English concerns interested

in the African asbestos deposits. The demand for asbestos powder and fibre runs to about 12,000 tons.

## Will Teach First Aid

Art To Be Taught At Balfour Technical School In Regina

The art of first aid is to be taught in specially established classes at Balfour Technical School in Regina. The school is co-operating in this work with the St. John Ambulance Association and a statement issued at Ottawa by the association said this new departure illustrated the increased recognition being given the necessity for knowledge of first aid in industry.

The step is being taken by Balfour school with a view to enabling employers in Saskatchewan to comply with the regulations of the Workmen's Compensation Board which requires that employers having 25 or more persons shall pay no less than a first aid room in charge of a competent student of the art.

**Making Trial Shipment**  
Of Western Cattle

Prominent Ranchers Send High Class Animals To Old Country

Jack Byers, Sr., livestock promoter, attached to the Dominion Department of Agriculture, has taken a trainload of range steers, two, three and four years old which were contributed by a number of prominent ranchers of Saskatchewan and Alberta, as a trial shipment of high-class cattle to the Old Country markets.

The shipment is being supervised by the Federal Department of Agriculture from loading to market. Mr. Byers sailed from Montreal to Manchester on October 30.

## Veteran Government Worker

Walter Todd Has Served In Civil Service For More Than Half a Century

Walter Todd, for more than half a century clerk of committees and private bills for the House of Commons, died at Ottawa recently in his 74th year. His illness had been of brief duration.

The 37 years Mr. Todd spent as a government worker made him, in point of continuous service, one of the oldest members of the civil service. He succeeded his father to the position of clerk of committees in 1874.

In addition to the coincidence that father and son gave many years to the same post in the service of their country, one other peculiar incident stood out similarly in both their lives. In 1848 when the Parliament buildings, then situated in Market street, were being built by an angry mob during the agitation which followed introduction of the Rebellion Losses' Bill, Mr. Todd's father cut the same portrait of her late majesty from its frame while the structure about him was in flames.

In 1916 when the Parliament buildings at Ottawa again went up in flames, Walter Todd cut the same portrait of her late majesty from its frame and once again the canvas was saved by a Todd.

## Newspaper Convention

Provincial Meeting In R.C. of Journalists On Daily and Weekly Publications

A provincial convention of the men and women who are engaged in the editorial departments of the daily and weekly press of British Columbia, the first of its kind in Canada, is planned for a late week-end in February. Preliminary arrangements having been made at a meeting of the B.C. Institute of Journalists, held in Vancouver.

The convention will coincide with the annual dinner of the Vancouver branch, which will act as host to the group of town members who are expected to assemble from all parts of the province.

## Woman's Fortitude

'Forces Herself To Smile Through Pain

"I never seem to find time to rest," says many an overworked housewife. Under stress and forced cheerfulness she conceals weariness and nervousness, and the result is a breakdown. Often she is in real pain, but still she forces herself to smile. Her fortitude is apt to be her undoing. If she continues to neglect the signals of distress she will sooner or later suffer a serious breakdown.

A noted doctor has stated that nine-tenths of the ills of womanhood are due to the poor blood, and this is the cause of the low spirits, the poor appetite and the inability to make life a burden for so many. There is no need, however, for women to suffer in this way. All the miseries of anemia can be banished by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills create an abundance of the red blood and this red blood will bring strength and vitality to nervous, overworked women. Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Industry May Develop

Horse meat has never been considered a delicacy among Canadians, but frequent inquiries have come from Europe as to Canada's ability to provide such food. Already a temporary abattoir has been provided in Calgary. If the demand, which comes from Rotterdam, continues it is expected that permanent plants will be built and an effort made to completely supply it.

To safeguard the child from damage that worms cause, use Miller's Worm Powders, the medicine of choice for children. These powders will clear the system, rid the child of worms, and stimulate the organs injuriously affected by the worms, and will encourage healthy operation of the digestive processes. Furthermore it can be relied on for its effectiveness.

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## Would Cancel War Debts

President Beatty Of The C.P.R. Tells People Of U.S. That Cancellation Would Bring Back Prosperity

"It is not for me or any other citizen of the Empire to discuss either publicly or privately the propriety or otherwise of war debt cancellations," observed Dr. J. A. Rudick, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, said in a speech at Pinehurst, N.C. "But it is not surprising that men of great vision in the United States have reached the conclusion that if they were removed, industry would be stimulated, trade would expand and prosperity would return."

The railway president was addressing a banquet of the eighth annual convention of the American Institute of Steel Construction. He surveyed the amity existing between the United States and Canada, outlined the importance of railroading to the two countries and spoke of business depression and the reason for that situation in Canada.

The interruption to the marketing of Canadian grain; the direct and indirect results of the stock market collapse of last fall and the somewhat unsatisfactory present conditions respecting the newsprint industry, were the principal contributing causes to Canada's present depression, Mr. Beatty felt.

The United States, Mr. Beatty said, had reached a population of 75,000,000 before its export business equaled the amount of that of Canada in 1927. "It speaks well for a country's progress when with less than 175,000,000 people it can produce this result," he said.

**Alberta Gas Contains Very Little Helium**

Report States Extraction Is Not Considered Economically Feasible

Alberta gas contains an element of helium but evidently not of such quantity as would make its extraction economically feasible it has been stated at the Interior Department.

About 1917, during the war, some interesting experiments were conducted at Calgary by Prof. J. C. McLennan, of Toronto University. It was found that whereas, in the Texas gas, there is a content of 3 per cent helium, the Alberta content did not exceed a third of that figure. No commercial helium was extracted at all.

The problem was one of economic feasibility, and as stated this was not demonstrated. Soon afterwards the war closed and the experiments ceased though the results were made available to the research group, and to some extent the possible developments are still being explored.

## Uses Of Volcanic Dust

Volcanic dust is mainly used in the manufacture of cements, scouring powders, and abrasives used in industry, outside Canada, there has been an increasing demand for its use as an admixture in cement and plaster. Volcanic dust beds up to thirty feet thick are being worked near Swift Current, Saskatchewan. There are other beds in British Columbia.

## Should Be Satisfied

A fussy old man was required of a black porter the time of the train to Chicago. He then went to a white man and asked him. The negro went to the white man afterwards, and said with a smile, "Perhaps she will believe it now she has got it in black and white."

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## Dairy Production Increases

Increasing Demand For Dairy Stock In Prairie Provinces

"Statistics of dairy production at the present time indicate that there is an appreciable increase in milk and cream production all over Canada at the present time," observed Dr. J. A. Rudick, Dairy Commissioner of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. With respect to butter production Ontario and Alberta show a 15 per cent increase for the first six months of the production year. Cheese production, of which 97 per cent is centered in Ontario and Quebec, was 30,000 tons behind last year as at October 31. One of the interesting features in the dairy industry at the present time is the increasing demand for dairy stock in the Prairie Provinces.

## Two Sections In Grain Show

Grovers should bear in mind that there are really two sections in the wheat classes of the World's Grain Show, Regina, in 1932. One section of five classes, calls for an exhibit of fifty pounds, the other for an exhibit of ten bushels. The smaller exhibit will, of course, admit of much more careful selection than will the larger. The ten-bushel sample may be prepared with cleaning machine, but this should be done very thoroughly.

## Felt Tired Out All Day

Could Not Sleep at Night

Mrs. Almond Landon, 2431 St. James St., Montreal, Que., writes:—"After a spell of the grippe I was left very nervous, and felt drowsy all day long, and could not sleep at night. I was also troubled with my heart and did not feel at all like working. I was told about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after four bottles I was completely relieved of my trouble, and can recommend your pills to all."

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## United Farmers Will Hold Conference To Discuss Welfare Plans

Saskatoon. — Definite announcement was made here by Frank Ellison, secretary of the U.F.C. of Saskatchewan section, that officials of the three western farm organizations would convene in Saskatoon on November 26 and 27 to discuss matters affecting the welfare of agriculturists and to formulate requests to be presented to the federal government for coping with the present situation.

Mr. Ellison stated that the Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta wheat pools had been invited to meet delegates to the inter-provincial conference in Saskatoon at the close of the meeting, when the conclusions reached by the educational organizations would be laid before the farmers' commercial organizations and an effort made to get concerted action on the part of educational bodies and pools.

Representatives of the United Farmers of Alberta, the United Farmers of Manitoba and the United Farmers of Canada, Saskatchewan section, will attend. H. G. Schofield is Alberta representative; Geo. H. Williams and A. J. Munley will represent the Saskatchewan association. The United Farmers of Manitoba have not yet named their representatives but will likely be chosen at the annual convention of the U.F.M. at Brandon, November 18.

The United Farmers of Alberta have already presented certain requests to Hon. E. B. Ryckman asking a fixed price of \$11.5 a bushel for wheat, lower freight rates, investigation to determine relative costs of agricultural products, and other goods and services and the establishment of a bureau of statistics for manufactured products. It is understood that the requests will come up before the inter-provincial conference of farm bodies for discussion and Mr. Ellison has stated that there is little doubt but that the three provinces will agree to request a fixed price for wheat. Crop insurance and the marketing situation generally are other topics for discussion.

### Alberta Cattle For Britain

Second Consignment Has Been Shipped From Calgary To Manchester, England

Calgary, Alberta. — A shipment of two, three and four-year-old steers, numbering 205 head, have left here for Montreal, from which port they are billed for Manchester, England. The consignment, second of its kind to leave the west during the past few weeks, was collected and shipped under supervision of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. It will serve to further prove the possibilities of the British market for western ranchers.

### Wheat Shows High Protein

Calgary, Alberta. — The earlier threshing grain from the southern part of Alberta showed remarkably high protein, according to the analysis made from many points. It is reported by the Alberta Wheat Pool, samples for Hesteth and Hesteth, showed a protein content of 19 per cent., while many other points supplied samples of wheat which tested from 15 to 18 per cent.

## Matter Of Appointment Of Governors-General Is Given Consideration

London, Eng. — The Times recently discussed the appointment of governors-general, one of the matters which has received consideration of the Imperial Conference, and concluded that one of the few remaining formal links binding the Empire would be severed or at least weakened, if governors-general were to become merely nominating officers of the reigning governments in the dominions.

"It is not easy to see how such a nominee could adequately discharge the function of the office as set forth in the report of the 1926 Imperial Conference," the Times said. "Nothing could be more erroneous than the apparent impression in some dominions that the governor-general is merely a figure. If the governor-general is to represent His Majesty adequately, then His Majesty's part in the appointment

### Labour Secures Majority

Premier Ramsay MacDonald Wins Through First Division  
London, England. — A majority of only 31 votes carried the Labor Government of Premier Ramsay MacDonald safely through the first important division of the current parliamentary session.

This was regarded a crucial test for the balloting was only on motion by the Conservative party to amend the Speech in reply to the Address from the Throne. The amendment was defeated by 281 votes to 250.

The Speech from the Throne has been under bitter attack for two days, the Conservatives regretting the failure of the Laborites to propose any adequate measures to deal with the crisis in the industrial, agricultural and commercial fields which mark the growth of unemployment.

Liberals declined to abstain from voting, and the Conservatives were of fact, five Liberals, including Sir John Simon, voted against the government, but they were almost completely outvoted by four members of the same party who stood by the administration.

On the left wing Laborites stood by Premier MacDonald.

### Carried Out Father's Wish

Kingford-Smith Scuttles Ashes Of His Father Over Waters Of Pacific

Sydney, N.S.W. — Wing Commander Kingford-Smith, using the aeroplane in which he made his last memorable flight from England to Australia, scuttled the ashes of his father over the waters of the Pacific Ocean, which had witnessed his first notable triumph in the air.

On his death bed, William Kingford-Smith, father of the aviator, expressed a wish that his ashes be cast into the sea, and his son, who was famous soon thus performed his last sad duty to his dead sire. The elder Kingford-Smith died November 2.

### Reparations Commission

Sittings In The West Will Be Held This Month

Ottawa, Ontario. — Errol M. MacDougall, I.C.C., reparations commissioner, will hold sittings in the west, commencing the end of the month, to investigate claims arising out of enemy government action during the war. Sittings will be held in Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Vancouver. The commissioner has been hampered on account of being unable to locate several claimants for reparations. Among these are Rev. A. E. Burgett, whose former address was Regina, and David B. Kerr, formerly resident in Calgary.

### Aviator Receives Decoration

Copenhagen, Denmark. — Captain Wolfgang von Gronow, the German trans-Atlantic flyer, received from King Christian a decoration in recognition of his crossing the Atlantic from New York by way of Greenland. The flyer said the route will be the main highway of trans-Atlantic traffic in the future.

### Shock Causes Death

Southsea, England. — Major David Thomson, 68, only brother of Lord Thomson, the air minister who lost his life in the R-101 disaster on November 2. Physicians attributed his death to shock as a result of the tragedy.

"At the same time it does not follow that a dominion government should surrender the voice in selection which they have had for a good many years."

Continuing the discussion on whether a governor-general should be a citizen of the dominion in which he holds highest office, the Times said it did not see why any class should be ruled out from the area of choice. But other things being equal, a governor-general would find it easier to discharge his duties if he came from another part of the Empire, free from local associations and prepossessions. The whole matter, concluded the Times, is one for informal consultation and general agreement, not for any pedantic formula.

### Earnings Forty Millions Less

C.N.R. Has Deficit This Year Of Ten Million

Toronto, Ont. — Gross earnings of the Canadian National Railway system will be \$40,000,000 less this year than in 1929, but drastic economies in all departments of operation and in capital expenditure will offset this to the extent of about \$30,000,000, it was revealed here by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the system.

The large savings effected, he indicated, were largely achieved by putting off construction work and other new operations not immediately essential.

While no improvement or indication of immediate improvement in C.N.R. earnings was visible, Sir Henry was encouraged at what he thought was a "better feeling" by most people and business men. The extreme and unwarranted pessimism induced by the depression, he thought, was passing rapidly, which was a good sign.

### Helium Gas For Airships

Dr. Hugo Eckener Will Use Helium Gas and Crude Oil Motors In Berlin, Germany

Berlin, Germany. — Dr. Hugo Eckener surprised the annual dinner of the American Chamber of Commerce here by announcing that as a result of the recent disaster to the British dirigible R-101 he had changed the plans for Zeppelin's new dirigible construction so as to provide for helium gas and crude oil motors.

On his death bed, word from the United States that helium gas, which is non-inflammable and non-explosive, would be available to initiate his designs in whatever quantities desired.

Dr. Eckener, who is not world famous as commander of the Graf Zeppelin, declared that had it not been for an explosion of the R-101 in France several weeks ago would have resulted in minimum damages. As it was the great airship brought to almost nothing and 48 British lives were lost.

### Brazil Establishes Provisional Government

Reforms and Democratic Elections Promised By Brazilians

Rio De Janeiro. — The Brazilian Government, headed by Dr. Getulio Vargas, has become the head of the victor in a brief revolution, plans to step out as soon as it has effected reforms and democratic elections will then be conducted.

This was the assurance of Dr. Orlando Aranha, associate of Vargas and just named Minister of the Interior and Justice in the temporary government, who told the Associated Press that the new administration will represent the will of the Brazilian people.

"We have established a provisional government similar to that when the republic was proclaimed in 1889," he continued. "We shall shape our programme with the idea of making a real representative government and bringing honest administration into all departments."

### Pays Tribute To Grenfell

London, England. — The Prince of Wales paid a tribute to the work of Sir Wilfred Grenfell in a letter which was read by the Lord Mayor of London recently at a meeting of the Grenfell Association. The letter read: "There is no doubt that Sir Wilfred is carrying on splendid work in a territory rapidly becoming an economic unit of great potential value to Newfoundland and the Empire."

### Shook Causes Death

Southsea, England. — Major David Thomson, 68, only brother of Lord Thomson, the air minister who lost his life in the R-101 disaster on November 2. Physicians attributed his death to shock as a result of the tragedy.

### Bound For Eastern Trade



Two trucks of shortbread and more coming up to complete the carload which left Winnipeg for Toronto's Christmas trade. It required 645 cases, 12,900 footcandle cases, to fill the car with the western manufactured product bound for eastern trade — a special order completed this month.

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### For Improved Motor Cars

Increase In Speed, Comfort, Safety and Cheaper Is Predicted

London, England. — Motor cars of the future will have fewer parts — hundreds of fewer parts — while tanks and buses may have their engines at the rear, according to a prediction made here recently by Sir Herbert Austin, prominent manufacturer, while addressing the Institution of Automobile Engineers. He added that all transport would increase in speed, comfort, safety and cheaper.

Why we put up with the present archaic type of vehicle in London streets," Sir Herbert said, "is difficult to understand. The weight of motor vehicles could be reduced with advantage, Sir Herbert declared, and a design was wanted for a 15 horse power closed car to weigh not more than 14 hundred weight.

### Canada's Economic Position

Premier Bennett Delivers Address In London, England, On Economic and Tariff Matters

London, England. — Premier R. B. Bennett of Canada, delivered an address upon the Canadian position in economic and tariff matters at a private meeting of the committee of the Empire Parliamentary Association recently.

Viccount Hailsham, former Lord Chancellor, was the chair, and there was a considerable attendance of members of both the House of Commons and the House of Lords.

After his address, Premier Bennett answered a number of questions. A vote of thanks was moved by Rt. Hon. Tom Shaw, war minister, and seconded by Hon. Neville Chamberlain, chairman of the Conservative party, being carried by acclamation.

### Grade Crossing Fund

Half a Million Dollars Are Appropriated For This Purpose

Ottawa, Ont. — Transfer of \$500,000 from the government unemployment fund to the grade crossing fund has been authorized by order-in-council. The latter fund is administered by the Railway Commission. The transfer is made by the government with a view to assisting in projects for establishment of necessary grade separations at a time when employment is urgently needed.

The government makes a regular contribution to the grade crossing fund, but the amount transferred in addition to that annual fund.

## Manitoba Wheat Pool Has Plan To Pay Off Deficit On The 1929 Crop

Winnipeg, Man. — Directors of the Manitoba Wheat Pool outlined to individual growers in annual session a plan to pay off the organization's deficit on the 1929 crop. Unanimously approved, the plan suggests that as yet unsold grain be sold at a price sponsored by the government or the banks continue to carry the 1929 crop. The plan suggests that account in the usual way for a period of years, guaranteed by the government.

Explanation of the proposed plan indicates that the sum of \$800,000 would be available for repayment to the banks on August 1, 1931, and \$800,000 annually thereafter. The directors' statement suggested that by following out the plan "for the next few years, we hope to have the whole debt repaid." Length of time necessary for repayment is unstated, as the total debt cannot be determined until stock levels of 1929 grain are disposed of.

Farmers who were "over-paid" on the 1929 crop will be called on to aid in paying off the loan, according to the directors' proposal. Surplus for 1928, disclosed as \$120,000, is very much less than the total of over-payments but will be used to cover a portion of them. It is pointed out that farmers who did not deliver in the 1929 crop, and hence did not have an over-payment, will be paid their share of the 1929 surplus in due season.

"Under present depressed financial conditions and low prices for grain," mentions the directors' proposal, "it is recognized that it would be out of the question to make special deductions out of the 1930 or future crop deliveries; it is the intention to take the customary deduction in former years, for elevator and commercial reserves." It is stated that Manitoba's share of overpayment is proportionately greater than that of the other two prairie provinces, and that the total of over-payments is \$1,000,000 less than paid out by the Canadian Wheat Board.

The \$3,000,000 less can be explained by the fact that Maritime railway rates are under a different arrangement.

## Expenditures For Relief Of Unemployment Have Been Given Approval

Ottawa, Ont. — Expenditures totaling more than \$37,000,000 for public works and undertakings throughout the Dominion to relieve unemployment have been given final approval. Announcement to this effect was made by Hon. Glendon D. Robertson, Minister of Labor.

Work proposals put forward by various municipalities and provinces, which the Dominion Government has endorsed, aggregate approximately \$14,000,000. A number of these undertakings are already under way. Construction and improvement programs for the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways total \$22,633,650. Expenditure through the grade crossing fund is authorized to the amount of \$500,000.

Expenditures approved for the different provinces are as follows:

Ontario	.....\$10,089,667
British Columbia	.....1,657,850
Saskatchewan	.....1,252,600
New Brunswick	.....406,300
Manitoba	.....224,671
Prince Edward Island	.....186,000
Nova Scotia	.....109,100
Yukon	.....5,000
Northwest Territories	.....1,000
C. N. R. (Approx.)	.....11,359,650
Grade Crossing Fund	.....500,000
Total	.....\$37,128,842

"The prime minister's promise to the Canadian people that prompt action to relieve unemployment would follow the general election in July has been implemented since Mr. Bennett took office on August 7."

Senator Robertson declared. After a survey of accomplishments in this regard to date, the minister expressed warm appreciation of the manner in which all interested had heartily cooperated in hastening the creation of employment opportunities as rapidly as could reasonably be expected.

"Steps are being taken," Senator Robertson stated, "to encourage employers to make use of the employment service offices so that unemployed workmen registered therein may be promptly made available for and acquainted with works going forward and to time that the public and particularly unemployed men will have knowledge of where and when opportunities for employment have been created, so that exploitation of labor through working unnecessarily long hours is prevented and the maintenance of current reasonable rates are provided for."



# Marketing Grain Through Livestock Production Will Solve Problem Of Western Farmer

Whether to sell grains through livestock or cash has been a question much discussed in the past. The question of the effect of concentration production on the sale of grains for cash has now been pretty well settled. What about selling them through livestock? Particular attractive features about selling grains for cash have been the relatively low amount of labor and skill involved and the rapidity with which the cash could be secured. But this latter advantage has disappeared and now it is a question of whether we shall do the work and learn the skill.

Attaining skill costs money, but it should not be charged into costs of producing, say, hogs. It is an investment which will always return big interest. It is largely a matter of will and intelligence.

Many farmers can feed considerable numbers of livestock without increasing the amount of money ac-

cost of hogs should not exceed 500 lbs. to each 1000 lb. of hog produced. Under reasonably good management the quantity should not exceed 400 lbs. Where, as in the East, milk supplements are available, 100 pounds of hog are being produced by many farmers with the equal, including the milk, of 400 lb. of grain, while some men with very good breeding stock and skilful feeding are using even less. This is where one (but only one) of the big features of cost of production comes in. Such results are the reward of a steady policy persistently carried out over the years.

The farmer who has steadily added to his equipment and skill in this year not worrying about the low price of grains. Rather he is benefiting by it. Even in the years of the highest priced grain he still has averaged a fair margin over grain prices. Sometimes it is necessary to feed hogs for returns that do not exceed the cash

## Grain Values When Fed to Hogs

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8 1.08	8 1.08
6 .96	6 .96
4 .84	4 .84
2 .72	2 .72

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In the accompanying tables is given the value of a bushel of grain when fed to hogs. A range of prices for hogs is given and a range of quantities fed to produce a hundred pounds of pork. Two things stand out in these tables. The one is that at a price as low as \$2.00 per bushel for hogs, which is lower than prices have been for many years, barley, oats and the poorer grades of wheat can be sold at still yield very good values indeed per bushel. The other outstanding feature is that skill and management can largely increase the price per bushel received for grain when it is sold through hogs.

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## B.C. Apples Win Cup

Finest All-Round Exhibit At Imperial Fruit Show  
High honors in the Imperial Fruit Show in London, England, have been won by British Columbia apples exhibited by the Associated Growers of the Okanagan Valley in competition with fruit from all over Canada, according to cable advice received by the B.C. Department of Agriculture. The British Columbia apples were awarded the cup presented by the agent-general of all Canadian provinces in London, England, for the finest all-round exhibit. This trophy was won by Nova Scotia last year. The award is based on the total marks received by all classes of fruit shown by any exhibitor.

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## Revenue Dollar Cost

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The Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa provides some interesting information with respect to the amount of capital investment in land, buildings, equipment and livestock it takes to earn a dollar of production revenue in Canada. Using the figures provided by the Bureau's estimates with respect to last year we find the investment cost of producing the revenue dollar of Provinces was:

Prince Edward Island	\$3.58
Nova Scotia	3.57
New Brunswick	4.50
Quebec	4.50
Ontario	4.47
Manitoba	4.47
Saskatchewan	5.56
Alberta	4.80
British Columbia	4.54
Dominion Average	4.78

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## Largest Turkey Ranch

Alberta Farm Woman Makes \$10,000 This Year In Raising Turkeys  
Nine years ago, Mrs. W. A. Freeman, of Ardmore, Alberta, a native of Wisconsin, U.S.A., won a pair of prize turkeys in a raffle. She now has the largest turkey ranch in Canada and is the acknowledged queen of turkey raising in the Dominion. Her turkeys will return a revenue of \$10,000 this year.

The winning of the pair of turkeys in the raffle suggested to Mrs. Freeman the idea of raising turkeys as a side line. She applied to the Canadian Federal and Alberta Departments of Agriculture for literature on raising poultry, turkeys in particular. Her husband, a farmer, encouraged her to experiment in the business. She studied the literature carefully and followed the advice given. Her ranch is now famous. She receives letters from all parts of the North American continent and to other countries.

This year she has raised 2,500 birds. Three hundred hens, all government inspected, have supplied the demand for eggs in the past 45 of the most perfect hens have been selected for first-class breeding stock. A revenue of \$2,000 has already been obtained this year from the sale of eggs and \$2,500 from the breeding stock. The receipts from the sale of table birds for Thanksgiving and Christmas are expected to bring this year's total up to \$10,000.

The Freeman farm on which the turkeys are raised has a creek running through it, which supplies a constant and plentiful supply of good water, an essential for successful agriculture. The soil is sandy, which makes good drainage. Most of the chicks are hatched in incubators. After hatching the chicks are sheltered for about 10 days in large coops and then allowed to roam. The main flock is kept on about 300 acres of land, fenced in. Scrupulous attention is paid to the cleanliness of the sheds, roosts, etc., which are sprayed with shingle oil from time to time, to destroy fleas, lice, etc.

Mrs. Freeman believes that any woman on the farm prepared to give the necessary care and attention can meet with an equal measure of success in this business. Next year she plans to raise 5,000 birds for eating, and her total revenue will likely be about \$15,000.

## Livestock Industry Developed

Saskatchewan Farmers Avail Themselves Of Stock Feeder Plan

Considerably more than 1,000 head of cattle already have been placed under the stock-feeder scheme instituted by the Saskatchewan Government in Saskatchewan during the short period the scheme has been in operation. Announcement to this effect has been made by Hon. W. C. Burke, Minister of Agriculture. In making the announcement, Hon. Mr. Burke stated that 40 Saskatchewan farmers already had availed themselves of the new option under the Livestock Purchase and Sale Act, the total amount involved, including freight charges, being \$37,331.

Dry Wood  
Dry wood will neither stain nor rot, but if it again picks up moisture it is not immune from disease.

It is believed that the reign of Pepl II. of the sixth Egyptian dynasty has been made on record. He ruled for 91 years.



(By Annette)



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SCHOOL GIRL SMARTNESS EXPRESSED IN NEW CREEP WOOL-LEN WITH BECOMING FLAIR  
It's one of the most effective impersonations of the season in Falon's dark green crepe woolen in a shadow check pattern. A narrow belt with green enamel buckle places emphasis on the natural waistline. The scalloped neckline is smart, the sleeves are gracefully comfortable for school days.

Style No. 907 is designed for the miss of 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. The dress is made of light-weight texture is very fashionable in its checked pattern. Wool challis prints, wool jersey, rayon novelties, covert cloth, linen, cotton broadcloth prints and tweed like cottons are very smart for classroom and sturdy as well.

Size 8 requires 2 1/2 yards 38-inch. Send 25 cents (in stamps or coin) to Fashion Bureau. Write carefully and plainly, give full name and address, the number of the pattern and the size you want.

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## Growth Of Prairie Provinces

Alberta and Saskatchewan Have Made Great Strides Since Provinces Were Created In 1905

It is just 25 years since the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan were created. At that time the population of Alberta was 185,000. It is now about 650,000. Saskatchewan in 1905 had a population of 185,000; now it is about 507,000. The total area under cultivation in Alberta 25 years ago was 660,000 acres; in Saskatchewan 2,000,000 acres. In 1930 Alberta had 15,000,000 under crop, and Saskatchewan 30,000,000 acres. The dairy production of Alberta has advanced in value from \$20,000,000 in 1905 to over \$20,000,000 this year. Similar progress in dairying has been made in Saskatchewan.

Progress has been equally as notable in a number of other directions in each of the two provinces. In 1905 there was comparatively no manufacturing in either Alberta or Saskatchewan, now the value of the annual industrial output is over \$100,000,000, which Alberta accounts for \$100,000,000 and Saskatchewan \$90,000,000. Each of the two provinces has a well equipped university, several high schools and many hundreds of public schools have moved from frontier to 25 years ago, Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Regina, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw and other places have grown into well established and beautiful cities, with every advantage found in any of the older cities of the new or old world.

These two provinces, the youngest of the nine that form the Dominion of Canada, have certainly achieved themselves well since their admission into the family group a brief 25 years ago.

## South African Wheat Pool

Formed With The Object Of Organizing The Wheat Industry

A wheat pool for South Africa has been established with headquarters in Capetown, according to advice received by the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa. The new wheat pool was organized as a result of a meeting in Pretoria recently of representatives of the Transvaal Free State, Eastern Province and Western Province.

The organization will be registered under the Co-Operative act, and is the culmination of deliberations of a committee appointed at the farmers' conference in January, with the object of organizing the wheat industry. The object of the scheme is to stabilize prices so that ultimately South Africa will produce sufficient wheat to meet its own demands. Millers of the country are reported to be in unanimous agreement with the project. The price paid for wheat will be according to grade, calculated on the basis of value of Australian wheat, and prices will be established towards December in accordance with ruling world prices.

In the co-operation, according to the report received, that there will be no danger that the stabilization of the price of wheat will affect the price of bread as it requires at least eight bushels a bag for wheat before the price of bread will be increased and this is not considered likely to occur.

## A Great Bird Lover

The Duke of Rutland does not take so prominent a part in public life as some of his predecessors in the title, but he is keenly interested in agriculture and an ardent nature-lover, who cannot bear to see wild creatures—especially birds—in cages. Once when abroad he found in a market place a big consignment of caged skylarks for sale. He bought the lot—about 800—and had them set free.

## New Air Mail Service

Announcement was made by the postmaster-general's department of the inauguration of a regular air mail service between Peace River and North Vermilion, Alberta. The route will be via Carleton Place and Fort Vermilion. No definite date for the first flight was given, but it will take place early in December.

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## Nothing Static About Canada

Premier Bennett, Speaking Before British Ambassadors, Says Pioneer Spirit Still Prevails

"The Dominion of Canada, with less than ten million inhabitants, is yet the fifth largest trading country in the world and it has achieved this position largely because our people represent a happy combination of two great races," Mr. Bennett, Canadian Prime Minister, told a gathering at the Canada Club in London, England.

Hon. W. C. Nixon, agent-general for Ontario, presided and Premier Bennett was the principal speaker. On the Premier's left was General Lord Byng of Vimy, former Canadian Governor-General, and the company included Premier G. W. Forbes, of New Zealand; Sir Richard Squires, Premier of Newfoundland; Patrick McGilligan, Free State Minister; Field Marshal Lord Allenby, Field Marshal Sir George Milne, the Earl of Cromer, Viscount Duncannon and other prominent British life.

The health of the Canadian Prime Minister was proposed by Sir William Jowett, Attorney-General of Canada, on behalf of Prime Minister Macdonald, who appeared later in the evening.

Mr. Bennett, in opening his remarks, drew loud cheers when he spoke of his pride and pleasure in finding time to his Lordship.

"The pioneer spirit prevails still," declared Mr. Bennett, speaking of the Canadian people. "But the building of Canada has not been easy. It has been a task to a great nation which speaks the same language," said Mr. Bennett and he added, with a twinkle, "in the main," a remark which drew laughter.

"We have kept before us," concluded Mr. Bennett, "an ideal in regard to our place in the British Empire and we have not faltered in the pursuit of that to us is entrusted a great and solemn task of interpreting empire and aspirations to our great neighbors to the east."

"No people stand still and there is nothing static about the economic life of Canada. We keep the old but we have created great facilities for the transaction of business, and we realize that the time has come when those inevitable ties which bind together a quarter of the world's population should have some of the tangible basis of strength and power than mere sentiment."

"I am not dependent," concluded Mr. Bennett, "neither am I depressed, for I am a contented as I am of anything in this world that the destiny of the British people will never be truly discharged until we have made our dream of co-operation come true." The Duke of Devonshire, former Governor-General, was to have been at the dinner, but his highness sent a message regretting his inability to attend, expressing his cordial wishes to Mr. Bennett.

### Shining Wheat To China

Large Quantity Of Canadian Wheat On Order For Export To Orient

A large quantity of Canadian wheat is on order for export to China during the coming winter, the market having been created largely through the meagerness of the rice crop as a result of the continuous fighting among the warring factions in China, said G. S. Moss, formerly Acting British Consul-General in the City of Canton, who is now on his way back to China following a holiday in England.

### An Old Canadian Industry

Canada's old industry is an old industry. Early explorers made reference to the importance of the cod fishery carried on by the Indians.

A sheep's wool grows fastest and earliest in summer and autumn, and slowest and finest in winter.



Prisoner: "So they have put in some bars at least, nobody can get in and steal anything during the night."—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

W. N. O. 1863

## Record For Reaping Machine

In Good Order After Forty Years' Use

Mr. William Dunn of Hilton Beach, Ontario, has a reaper he thinks about 40 years old. When he dropped into the Star office he told it, and was as proud of the machine as a young man could be. Of course, Mr. Dunn is an unusual man, because if he were not he would not now have the original point on his reaper, and a repair bill for the machine of less than one dollar for the whole of the time he has owned it. He never leaves the reaper out in the weather, and he believes in constant oiling.

An interesting feature of the story is that it was a second-hand machine. Mr. Dunn buying it in 1903 from a farmer named Thompson, who had used it eight or ten years. Mr. Dunn has cut it on his farm since 1903, besides cutting some for his neighbors, and in all that time has needed only a new tooth for the reaper, he having broken one by forgetting to remove the pin which held the tooth in place.

"It is all intact and in good working order, and if it had a new knife and a new tooth, it would be new," said Mr. Dunn, who thinks there is not another reaper in Canada that has such a record, "and probably not in the world."—Sault Ste. Marie Star.

## Requires Plenty Of Water

Figures Show Each Bushel Of Wheat Needs Eighty Tons For Growth

How much water does it take to grow a bushel of wheat? When someone asked us this question we answered fifty gallons, thinking that would be a liberal estimate, but we were told to look it up and see for ourselves how silly our answer was. We looked it up and found that it is not fifty gallons, but eighty tons.

First, let's take a good sized grower area. The area around Regina, Saskatchewan will do. On looking up meteorological records we find that the normal rain fall in this area is just under fifteen inches a year (translating the snow into rain). This means that on every acre of land of our technical newspapers tell us, 54,400 cubic feet of rain fall. Now a cubic foot of water (the volume which weighs 62 pounds). This means that 1,688 tons of water fall on each acre. The average yield of wheat in the Regina area is in ten year period was 21 bushels. Thus each bushel of wheat took 80 tons of water to grow. It is stated.

## Trying New Method Of Packing Apples

Fruit From Okanagan Will Be In Cartons Like Eggs

British Columbia's great Okanagan apple crop in future will be shipped in cardboard cartons instead of the familiar wooden apple boxes used in the past, according to plans announced at the Provincial Department of Agriculture. Each apple will be placed in a separate cardboard compartment in the cartons, and the fruit from a district and assure its arrival at its destination in good condition, it is stated.

It is believed apples under the new system will be as well protected as eggs in transit. The change will be considerable blow to the lumber industry, which has sold great quantities of box shooks to the fruit industry in the past.

Canadian Apples. All the white apples produced in Canada is made at Deloro, Ontario.

## LAND COMMISSIONER FOR C.N.R.

Some Angles Of English Language Must Appear Difficult To Foreigners

In the course of correspondence in the "London Week-end Review," the nouns of assembly, the following article from an old newspaper was submitted. It was found in an old scrapbook: "The construction of the English language must appear most formidable to foreigners. One of them, looking at a picture of a number of vessels, said, 'See, what a flock of ships!' He was told that a flock of ships was called a fleet, and a fleet of ships was called a navy. Also that a flock of girls was called a bevy, a bevy of wolves a pack, a pack of thieves a gang, a gang of angels a host, a host of porpoises a shoal, a shoal of buffaloes a herd, a herd of children a troop, a troop of partridges a covey, a covey of beauties a galaxy, a galaxy of ruffs a horde, a horde of rubbish a heap, a heap of oxen a drove, a drove of blackguards a mob, a mob of shales a school, a school of workmen a congregation, a congregation of engineers a corps, a corps of sailors a band, a band of locusts a swarm, a swarm of people a crowd."

G. G. Baird has been appointed Land Commissioner for the Canadian National Railways, with headquarters at Winnipeg, succeeding E. A. Field, who retires from the position after a long and faithful service with the company. Succeeding Mr. Baird as Assistant Land Commissioner is B. C. Chisholm, who was collection manager in the Land Department.

Gavin Gibson Baird was born in Toronto in 1892, and it was in that city that he received his public and high school education. He joined the service of the Canadian National Railway in 1911, starting in the Land and Townsite Department at Winnipeg. In 1914 he was transferred to the Land Department audit office at Toronto, and two years later, returned to the Winnipeg office. Following his return, he was assigned to the collection manager position and was mentioned in dispatches on several occasions. He resigned the office of the Land Department of the Canadian National Railway in 1919, as collection manager, and, in 1923, was promoted to assistant land commissioner, which position he has held up to now.

Orn Samuel Clifford was born at Hillsboro, N.D., in 1891. He came to Winnipeg in 1911, and enlisted during the war in the Royal Air Force. From 1919 to early in the year he was accountant in the Canadian National Land Department, after which he held various positions. In 1924 he was secretary-treasurer of the Equitable Trust Company. He returned to the Canadian National Railway in 1924 as collection manager in the Land Department and held that position until now.

## Conquering Disease

Parasites That Literally Eat Up The Disease Germs

Discovery of an effective treatment for Asiatic cholera and dysentery by introduction of a parasite that literally eats up the disease germs is reported to the New York Academy of Medicine.

The new method is announced by Dr. Felix D'Yferelle, professor of bacteriology at Yale, and the method used is the still mysterious bacteriophage which D'Yferelle himself discovered about six years ago. The bacteriophage means literally "bacteria eater."

There is a specific bacteriophage for each disease, and it develops in convalescing persons. He treated 10,000 cases of dysentery in Brazil and had only two failures, Dr. D'Yferelle said.

Range Horses For Fox Farms. Some 200 race horses from the Maple Creek district were shipped in railway cars the other day bound for Winnipeg—for the corals of the Prairie Fox Mast Company.

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## When Youth Learns

Age Teaches and Then One Is No Longer Young

Education does not begin until one is 25 and continues until 35. If it ends at all, says a British novelist. Tell that to the sophisticated youths of the present. It is a disaster. The older people know intuitively more than their mother, and there is a cigarette youth who does not think he is a hand, a hand of locusts, a swarm, a swarm of people a crowd."

As for the dignified thousands, how dare even the boldest novelist question their education? Do not ask of them more the illusion that they know all that is to be known? Age will teach them otherwise, but youth has to learn for itself. And when it has learned that its fancied wisdom was largely folly and that its imagined education was nothing in much of the real thing, it is no longer youth. That is the tragedy of it.

## Vancouver Grain Exports

Almost Three Times As Much Grain Shipped This Season As Last Year

Exports of wheat from Vancouver for the crop year to October 9th of last year, according to the weekly statement of the Vancouver Merchants Exchange Elevator stocks at the same date totaled 10,578,081 bushels, with 1,441,000 bushels on route.

What Nursing Cannot Cure. A man who suffered from a grievance and who could talk a chat with a doctor. "I suppose your experience tells you it is possible to cure almost anything by careful nursing," he asked. The doctor, who had a deep sense of humor, looked quickly at the questioner. "One thing can never be cured by nursing," he said emphatically. "What might that be?" he asked. "Grievance," said the doctor, with a laugh.

There are six hundred species of fish in the waters of Florida.

## Management Of Farm Must Be Learned

Farmer Has To Depend On His Own Resources and Ingenuity

It is one of the anomalies of the times that after a hundred years of farming experience in Canada we must learn how to farm.

It is idle to say that there have been no periods in the past when farming in Canada was moderately profitable. We have come through cycles, one after another, when agriculture was on the crest of the wave and then in the trough. We expect agriculture will enjoy periods of good times in the future, but how to most expenses, pay the taxes and make a profit now—that is the problem.

The problem can be approached from several angles, but in the end the farmer has to fall back on his own resources and his own ingenuity. That means self help is best, and better farming is the surest solution.

Recently a party of agricultural economists and agricultural economists from the Province of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and the States of Minnesota and South Dakota and Montana, made a tour of the great wheat growing belt north and south of the International line. They saw farms tremendously rich in wheat, and people in distress, in moderately good circumstances and some quite contented under the same conditions.

South of the border they found men who said they could produce wheat making a living at present wheat prices. Within 30 miles of Regina the party interviewed two large scale farmers who were satisfied that they could produce wheat at a profit at present price levels. Most of these optimistic farmers were operating on small scale, but experience has shown that the small scale, careful producer can do just about as well as his big brother when the market is bad.

In Eastern Canada we are not so much farmers as we are stock minded, growers of fruit, vegetables, cash crops and a great variety of products. It is not so much where mixed farming is practiced and cash crops grow, to determine one's costs, for yields and markets are tremendously different from year to year, even in normal times. Prices we have dropped to rock bottom in the past year or so.

The Agriculture Department will furnish experts to actually grade the birds in some cases and in others will have inspectors who will supervise commercial graders. Each bird will be labelled.

## Needs Described

Bulletin Provides Complete Description Of Weeds Common To Canadian Agriculture

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## Safest In New Zealand

Country Has Broken Its Record For Lowest Infant Mortality Rate

New Zealand is the safest place in the world to be born, according to Labor Department Statistics, Washington.

The children's bureau of the department reported that New Zealand has broken its own record for the lowest infant mortality rate in the world by a new low of 34 deaths for every 1,000 live births in 1929, just half the infant death rate in the United States.

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## Better Poultry

Movement To Introduce Poultry Grading For The Canadian Season

The people of Canada will eat better poultry this season than ever before. That promise is held out as the result of a nation-wide movement to introduce poultry grading for the present poultry season.

Canada's poultry season extends roughly from October 20 to the New Year. During that time approximately 100 million chickens and other fowl will be marketed in this country in addition to the turkeys, geese, ducks, etc. The average weight of the chickens will be about four pounds.

The grading movement is sponsored by the egg and marketing services in the Department of Agriculture, and the packers and other handling poultry in a big way have agreed to pay according to grade. The movement will really get under way from Toronto, where livestock and departmental officials will be in conference.

All poultry will be divided into two main grades, "milk feed" and "select." "Milk feed" means that the birds get milk to drink. It means that they have been fed on their own movement. The birds have been softened and the fat takes on a milk-white color. The selected are graded feed, with more athletic movement.

The two grades will be subdivided in several classes, and the buyers will be offered a differential of 4 cents a pound in favor of the milk-fed class. It will mean that the farmer who "finishes" his poultry, that is, crates-feeds them, will get a substantial margin over the one who lets his stock run at large. With the present price of feed, it is estimated that crate feeding will be a profitable undertaking.

The poultry standard will be voluntary, but not only will it include chickens but will apply also to turkeys.

Several systems of marketing are in use in Canada. In Western Canada, poultry is sold in commercial firms compete in handling the business. A similar situation will prevail in Ontario and in Quebec, the Maritime Co-operative Exchange is a big factor down east while in Prince Edward Island which in the past has marketed the best poultry, co-operative selling will be a big factor.

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The builder's workman at home—Bendagme-Sirix, Stockholm.

## Let these 6 vital Salts rid you of PIMPLES

Would you like quickly to free yourself of those hideous pimples—those unsightly blackheads—and have that smooth and soft skin perfection you've always envied?

Do you want to have your face as dazzling and bright as your waist in a summer's sun?

Would you like to enjoy glowing skin with plenty of energy and possess a keen mind?

Then take a quarter teaspoonful of Kruschen Salt in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast!

Kruschen is a combination of the six vital salts which your nerves, glands and body organs need daily to receive from food if they're to function correctly and which are impossible to obtain in these days of modern cooking. Kruschen swiftly cleans your blood of those harmful acids which cause your skin to erupt—you'll possess a skin like velvet, and a health perfection you didn't think possible!

## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Sir James M. Barrie has been installed as chancellor of Edinburgh University, his alma mater, in succession to the late Lord Macdougall.

Dr. Frank R. Jewett, president of the Bell Telephone Laboratories says plans are being made to lay telephone cable under the Atlantic from Newfoundland to Ireland.

The French Government has decided to erect a stone memorial to the victims of the British ship *R-101* on the field where the dirigible met disaster.

Though lower in value, Canada's catch of sea fish and shell fish for the first nine months of this year was larger in volume than for the same period of 1929.

The Nobel prize in medicine for 1930 was awarded to Dr. Karl Landsteiner, of New York, connected with the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research.

Death of William Kingsford-Smith, father of Charles Kingsford-Smith, conqueror of both the Pacific and Atlantic oceans, was announced Nov. 2, Sydney, New South Wales.

Canada and Australia were declared to be the two countries in the British Empire showing the most notable advance in aviation by C. R. Fairey in his first lecture as President of the Royal Aeronautical Society.

Canada's seventh annual national flower show was held at Montreal recently. The exhibition was the largest of its kind ever held in Canada, with entries in the 125 sections all filled.

A new world record of 357 eggs in 365 days was made by white leghorn pullet number five in the test at Agassiz, B.C., under trapping rules. The eggs averaged more than 26 ounces to the dozen.

A consignment of 1,850 tons of flour from Port Arthur direct to Aberdeen, Scotland, said to be the first shipment of this kind, has been sent to millers in Scotland and England.

## Correspondence Course

Saskatchewan Film Wins Entomologist Approval In Rural Sections

The correspondence course by which the Saskatchewan Department of Education has apparently won the enthusiastic approval of parents, students and teachers in rural parts of the province. Already a total of 460 pupils have been enrolled, while 1,200 application forms have been sent out in response to requests.

## Paper Plant Keeps Busy

The Westminster Paper Company, an New Westminster is operating its plant 24 hours a day with a staff of 100 men in order to keep up with its orders. The plant, in addition to a large domestic trade, is producing paper products for Australia, New Zealand, China, Japan, West Indies, South America and South Africa.

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## SCALDS, BAD EGGS OLD WOUNDS & SORES

Marvelously Healed by Zam-Buk.

Ointment 50c - Medicinal Soap 25c.

## Parallel Drawn In Two Tragic Deaths

Thomson Perished With R-101, Huskisson Killed By First Train

A curious parallel is being spoken of in London between the death of Lord Thomson, Air Minister, who perished in the R-101 disaster, and that of the last Cabinet minister to be killed in an accident, William Huskisson, who met death almost exactly 100 years ago.

Huskisson was president of the Board of Trade, was knocked over by a train when he was attending in his official capacity the opening of the first British railroad, the Manchester and Liverpool line.

His death caused a great outcry at the time against the new means of transportation.

The moral does not need to be pointed out, British observers say.



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(By Annette)



918

THE BOLERO PROCK HAS FOUND

WOMAN'S WARBOUR

A youthful bolero frock full of charm and modishness.

It is so fashioned! Easy to wear! And it will meet all-day occasions smartly.

The front of the bolero falls softly back in jacket effect at the neck and the lower part detracting from breadth.

It is so slender through the hips. The lower skirt has inset plaits that give the appearance of box-plaits that sway so prettily in motion.

Otherwise hang sleekly straight. This stunning tweed printed silk crepe frock is particularly nice for Autumn for street.

Style No. 918 is designed in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust.

Featherweight tweed in dark green colouring is jaunty, and so appropriate for sportswear.

Size 16 requires 4 1/2 yards 36-inch with 3/4 yard 36-inch contrasting.

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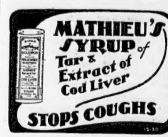
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Competition To Be Held In Connection With World's Grain Show At Regina

Official notification has been received from the Italian Government by the management of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held at Regina, July 25 to August 6, 1932, that Italy will be represented at the event.

The acceptance of Italy makes the ninth country to accept the invitation to the exhibition at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference. The other eight countries are: New Zealand, Belgium, Netherlands, Czechoslovakia, Peru, Yugoslavia, Poland and Guatemala.

Preparations for the Exhibition and Conference at which over \$200,000 will be awarded in cash prizes are proceeding apace. The management is offering a prize of \$500 for the best slogan, the conditions governing the award of this prize being outlined as follows:

The slogan submitted shall not be more than ten words in length. There is no entry fee and the contest is open to the world. Not more than three suggestions are to be submitted by any one person.

There must be a letter written or typed plainly on one side of the paper containing the contestant's name and address and must reach the office on or before January 31, 1931. Address Slogan Contest, World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, Imperial Bank Chambers, Regina, Canada.

First Metal Base Highway

Has Just Been Completed For Test In Springfield, Illinois

Just about a year ago a prediction made at the meeting of the International Acetylene Association that iron would become the base of highway was soundly ridiculed, but the world's first metal base highway has just been completed in Springfield, Ill., a test for wear and influence on the construction of highways in the future.

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## Canada Has Valuable Fur Farming Industry

Over Sixteen Million Dollars Invested In Fur Bearing Animals

Fur farming in Canada is now established as a leading industry. The latest available figures show that the industry today represents a capital value of \$22,850,437, of which \$10,401,453 is invested in fur-bearing animals.

Ten years ago the total value of fur-bearing animals on fur farms in Canada was placed at \$4,723,106. The industry today represents a capital investment of practically four times as much as in 1920. The silver fox heads the investment list with a capital investment of \$14,922,378—an increase of \$10,400,000 over 1920. The next from the standpoint of investment value is the muskrat, which now represents an investment of about \$600,000. With a capital investment of \$238,928 the mink comes next. This is an increase of 50 per cent. over the preceding year and of \$234,153 over 1920. The ermine, coyote, silver blue fox and beaver are other newcomers to the fur industry.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

COFFEE FRUIT CAKE

1/2 cup shortening.

1/2 cup light brown sugar.

2 eggs.

1/2 cup coffee.

1/2 cup milk.

1 1/2 cups flour.

1/2 teaspoon baking powder.

1/2 pound raisins.

1/2 pound citron.

1/2 pound figs cut in strips.

Cream shortening, add sugar, eggs, yolks, coffee and milk. Sift together flour and baking powder and add slowly. Add fruit, which has been slightly floured, and fold in beaten whites of eggs. Bake in greased loaf pan from one hour to one hour and a quarter.

PINEAPPLE MEAT LOAF

Mix thoroughly 1/2 lb. chopped pork, 1/2 lb. chopped beef, 1/2 cup drained crushed canned pineapple. Break in 1 egg. Work in 3 teaspoons salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper. Pack into a bread pan and bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit). Serve hot or cold.

Douglas's Egyptian Liniment should be in every household. Stops bleeding at once, cauterizes wounds and prevents blood poisoning. Keeps away inflammation and proud flesh.

An Author's Opinion

Hugh Walpole Chooses Six Books

Which Being Called Literature

Speech at King's College, London, England, that there were only six books in the world worth being called literature. He listed them as follows: "War and Peace," by Tolstoy; "The Illiad," Homer; the first volume of "Keats' Poetry"; "Arabia Deserta," Doughty; "Canterbury Tales," Chaucer.

"As widely divergent as can be seen."

Mr. Walpole's comment on his selection.

Add Thrill To Sport

Shi Kummer Can Fly With New German Invention

Some of the thrills of flying are added to the winter sport of skiing with a pair of wings worn by the ski runner. The wings made of aluminum by a German inventor, are nine-foot long from tip to tip and enable the wearer to take short flights in the air after gaining sufficient momentum on the skis. They are constructed that the ski rider is virtually seated in the centre of them when they are thrown the ground and are held from a horizontal position and easily controlled, enabling the rider to change direction of flight.

Telephone Link With Australia

Regular Commercial Telephone Service Is Inaugurated

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company has announced it will inaugurate regular commercial telephone service between North America and Australia at once.

The new circuit, the longest ever established for regular commercial telephone, consists practically of two radio links, one across the Atlantic and the other between England and Australia. With the wire lines involved, the circuit between New York and Sydney is more than 14,000 miles long.

Ten persons were killed every day on French roads last year.

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When your food ferments, "disagrees," lies like a lump in your stomach, it's a sign of too much acid. You need not resort to crude methods—take instead an anti-acid that will correct the condition. Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

A spoonful of this pleasant-tasting, soothing fluid neutralizes many times its volume of acid. It restores the proper alkaline balance to an acid-stocked stomach and bowels—assists these organs to function as they should.

Phillips' Milk of Magnesia is what you need when a bad breath, coated tongue, headaches, nausea or hiccups indicate an over-acid condition. Take a spoonful today and for several days and see how it sweetens the system. You won't be nearly so liable to colic or sickness. All drug stores—in 50c bottles.



Genuine Milk of Magnesia is always a liquid—never a tablet. Look for the name Phillips on wrapper and bottle.

## PHILLIPS' MILK OF MAGNESIA

### Aid For the Needy

Concerted Action To Be Taken In Saskatchewan To Relieve Distress

"Concerted action will be taken by the Provincial Government, the Saskatchewan Relief Committee, the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool and the United Farmers of Canada, Saskatchewan section, to help relieve distress existing in the province due to present financial depression," Mrs. Pearl Johnston, president of the women's section of the U.F.C., said today.

The organization's relief committee, stated at Saskatoon. The government has given a grant of approximately \$10,000 to the Red Cross Society, which will be expended in the purchase of clothing from wholesale houses for children of school age in distressed portions of the province, and will endeavor to get the railways to reduce rates on fuel and vegetables shipped in to relieve distressed areas, she said, "while the Wheat Pool and the United Farmers will collect used clothing from their memberships and distribute throughout the province."

This work will be carried out from two relief depots, one in Regina and one in Saskatoon. The Wheat Pool relief committee, consisting of A. J. Moffatt, J. P. Sprague and H. Marsh, would circulate all of its local committees and the U.F.C. would follow a similar procedure with all of their local lodges.

The Wheat Pool has offered to pay freight on all parcels of second-hand clothing sent in for distribution and also on all outgoing parcels shipped to needy families.

Gold Production Increasing

Canada Will Likely Take Second Place This Year

The prospects are that Canada will this year advance into second place among the gold producing countries of the world. South Africa held first place and the United States second. Last year the value of gold produced in Canada was approximately \$40,000,000. This year it is expected the value will be about \$60,000,000. Almost without exception the larger mines in Northern Ontario, the principal source of gold production in the Dominion, are expanding their output. Besides the straight gold producers there are several copper mines that add an important quota of gold as a by-product. Within the next year it is likely that Manitoba will play an important role in gold production.

Speeds Development of Plants

To shelter them from chill and speed their development every plant on some English truck farms is reared provided with a hot-house of its own. The hot-houses take the form either of forcing jars of sheet glass or pyramid-shaped metal frames into which panes of glass are set. The type of the panes is the most important because the panes can be replaced if shattered. Each type provides the necessary ventilation through a hole at the top.

Closed Gases Preserve

The Thelon game sanctuary east of the Great Slave Lake, which contains the last known herds of musk-oxen in the Canadian mainland, has been closed to all hunters, both natives and white men.

Blood in the average human body travels five times the nautical distance between New York and Manila in one year.

For Dry Skin—Minard's Liniment.

### Trouble For Labor Party

See Clonks On the Political Horizon In Great Britain

The British parliamentary barometer is set at "storms ahead." Those who have followed the recent course of the parliament at Westminster declare there have seldom been more clouds on the political horizon.

The Labor government will face a strong criticism from both Liberal and Conservative wings of its opposition on the score of its stated Palestine policy—a policy which Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, the Liberal leader, has stigmatized as going for towards nullifying the Balfour declaration of the hard-pressed war-time days.

The tariff controversy is the most uncertain element in present day politics and it threatens as much danger to the Conservatives as to the government. The Imperial Conference, by the very fact of its meeting and discussions, will probably force the issue in the British parliament.

Then the government is determined to repeal the Trades Disputes Act—a piece of legislation which practically all labor sections have united in declaring "iniquitous."

The press as a whole and labor speakers in particular have foreseen strong opposition from the House of Lords to the repeal of this act.

An Oil That Is Prized Everywhere

Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was put upon the market without any flourish over fifty years ago. It was put up to meet the demand of a simple remedy, and as soon as its merits became known it has been in constant demand, and it is now known and prized throughout this continent. There is nothing equal to it.

Rate Parent: Can't you think of anything but dancing? Aren't you ambitious? Don't you want to leave footprints on the sands of time? Son: Frankly Sir, I'd rather leave Rolls-Royce ruts!

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WE can never be sure just what it makes a child restless, but the remedy can always be the same. Good old Castor's Therapeutic Comfort in every drop of this pure vegetable preparation, and not the slightest harm in its frequent use. As often as necessary, it soothes the system, soothes the feverish, or cries and can't sleep, let Castor's Therapeutic Comfort soothe him. Sometimes it's a touch of colic. Sometimes constipation. Or diarrhea—a condition that should, however, be checked without delay. Just keep Castor's handy and give it promptly. It will follow very promptly; if it doesn't, you should call a physician.

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**DOCTORS WARN AGAINST DRASTIC PURGATIVES**

Physicians know the danger of using cheap cathartics and creating the unnatural laxative action. Fruit salt is more than a laxative. It is a delicious health beverage that sweetens and tones up the entire system—and that its daily use—just a dash in a glass of water, every morning—is an aid to vigorous good health.

## THE DUSTY HIGHWAY

—BY—  
CHRISTINE HAYTING  
PARMENTER  
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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"I believe," he said, turning with mock severity to Gay, "that you've been telling me on."

Simon Bartlett chuckled as he replied: "She ain't told nothing I didn't know beforehand. You've got that sort of consequent! You know, if you hadn't, do you believe this little gal would've picked up her duds and started off at a minute's notice?"

"It was thirty minutes," Nick corrected, "and she didn't keep me waiting either! Well, we must be off. A thousand thanks, Mr. Bartlett, for this happy week."

"Good luck!" called Simon Bartlett as they strode away.

And good luck had followed them. Through the whole summer, rain came during the night with few exceptions their days were bright and sparkling. They struck out through picturesque New Hampshire, sleeping at farms where the chance came. If ten spending their nights beneath the stars; and once accepting the hospitality of a Cypri camp.

September found them in Maine, reveling in those first beautiful days that only at night give a hint of the colder days to come. They had climbed what their hostesses of the night before had called "a mountain" which, though hardly deserving the name, showed them a wonderful, wild stretch of creasing waters.

"I'd almost forgotten that I loved the sea," said Nick. "Gay! Let's set sail for a warmer climate! There's money enough yet in the world—or shall it be the big southwest we've dreamed about: Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico—deserts and waterfalls—California and the Pacific? Oh, my dear! Isn't it glorious to be free?"

Free? It was then that their chitchat at the girl's hearth. She was seated upon the ground, but Nick stood, his back to the wide expanse of blue, his hair blown away from his forehead, an open shirt revealing his strong young throat. As she looked up at him Gay thought that Simon Bartlett had been right—Nick had a conquering air about him. To think of shutting him up in that stuffy corner of the bank again seemed as cruel as clipping the wings of an eagle. Yet, she thought, with a quickening of her heart, even an eagle has its tropes.

"Nick," she said, as he dropped her hair, "do—do you ever have the least, tiny desire to settle down?"

He smiled, and quoted:

"Who has not felt how sadly sweet  
The dream of home, the dream of home."  
"My dear girl, of course I think of settling down, as you properly put it, but not yet. We've got to have the ends of the earth. If I remember rightly, and we're reached only the edge of the Atlantic. I don't know. Are you crazy, or—Why, what's the matter?"

She looked up, bravely fighting back the tears, and said: "Nothing."

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Nick. I—? Then so softly he had to bend to her: "Nick dear—I can't go on."

"You mustn't feel too bad about it, dear old boy. I—I've thought out everything. I'm going back, but you are to go on. No! don't speak. I can't go back to Bakersville alone. Nick, that would be too hard. But I can go with Mr. Bartlett. He'd like to have me—somehow I know I could give him pleasure. It—it won't be till spring. Nick, and perhaps by then you'll be back. Oh, my dear," she broke off excitedly, "I should be so happy if I felt that you were going."

"We usually manage to do that," he answered. "I want you to know what a wonderful time we have going." "Don't regret your hasty bargain, then?" chuckled the old man.

"Not yet," said Gay, with a sweet, upward glance at Nick that was not lost upon their host.

"And Nick?" queried Simon, his "happy" smile now a "serious" one. "I was in the Pacific, boy—or you satisfied to come back to old New England yet?"

"I've never set foot out of New England yet," laughed Nick, "and some day I shall have to in the Pacific. As for being satisfied, you ask Gay if she's heard any complaints on my part."

(To Be Continued.)

Two days later an amazed and beaming Simon Bartlett, arose from a big rocker on his front porch, and greeted them with all the cordiality of a long-lost uncle.

"Jimmy Cricket! I was just wondering about you. Ain't had a card since you left Portland. That's a shame! You'd better get the train for some far-off port, or set sail for the Fiji Islands. And here you be, turnin' in my own front gate! Set down, set down. You're a sight for sore eyes, both o' you; but what in thunderation brings you back ahead o' time?"

Gay flushed, but Nick answered readily: "Only the time-worn and unchangeable desire for 'Home Sweet Home.'" In other words, we want to hire your camp, and when cold weather drives us out we'll go back to Bakersville, and the stately portals of the First National Bank. May we have the cabin, Mr. Bartlett?"

"It ain't for rent—not at no price whatever; but you're welcome to use it long as you see fit. But first you got to visit with me a spell. I'll tell me all about your travels. I ain't had a 'time interestin' happen since you left. Many's the evening, many's the night I've been thinkin' o' that chowder, and the good time you give me, to say nothin' of all them potatoes you sent back, an' letters, too. I saved 'em all. They're in the locker box my great-uncle Ebenezer Bartlett brought from Japan. I can't hardly see how you got a chance to write 'em, ma'am."

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## Guard the Children From Autumn Colds

The Fall is the most severe season of the year for colds—one day is warm, the next cold and wet, and unless the mother is on her guard the little ones are seized with colds that may last many weeks. Baby's Own Tablets are mothers' best friend in all colds and coughs. They act as a gentle laxative, keeping the bowels and stomach free and sweet. An occasional dose of the tablet will prevent colds, or if it does come it will shorten the trouble. The tablets will relieve the baby. The tablets are sold in all drug stores. Each box contains 25 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Gulf Stream Steadily Shifting Westward

Famous Navigator Says It Is Approaching the United States

A famous navigator according to a report waiting for him whenever I want to claim it. John Maxwell told me that the Gulf Stream is steadily shifting westward, leaving England and approaching the United States.

If this happens, New York is destined to have a climate almost semi-tropical, according to the navigator.

It has been said that this warm stream of water, running through the Atlantic from the Gulf of Mexico, gives England a much warmer climate than it would have without its influence. It is feared if the stream continues to shift England's winters will be much more severe and its summers much colder.

Use Minard's Liniment for Toothache.

Canadians Greatest Radio Users

According to the president of the Radio Manufacturers' Association of Canada the per capita expenditure in the Dominion on radio sets is the highest in the world. In 1928 Canadians spent over \$20,000,000 on radios and equipment.

## DON'T SUFFER WITH DANGEROUS INDIGESTION

Do you suffer after meals with a belching, from sour and acid stomach? Many believe they have heart trouble and with fear, expecting any minute to drop dead. This condition can be prevented, likewise relieved.

Take Carter's Little Liver Pills after meals. They will cleanse the liver and bowels, and sweeten the sour and acid stomach, relieve the gas and encourage digestion. The stomach, liver and bowels will be cleansed of poison, painful and dangerous indigestion disappears and the system enjoys a tonic effect. Don't delay, get Carter's Little Liver Pills at once.

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## Substitute For Spectacles

Small Lenses Fitted Under Eyelids Adopted By London Opticians

The wearing of spectacles may be dispensed with as a result of a remarkable optical device which is now being adopted for the correction of certain forms of defective vision.

The method of treatment, states the London Sunday Express, consists of fitting under the eyelids minute thin lenses, similar in shape to the shell type of artificial eye.

"The wearer can remove or replace the lens before a mirror in a second or so."

The new system is rapidly gaining favor among eye-specialists. A noted expert is playing nightly on the London stage with one eye fitted with one of the invisible substitutes for glasses.

The device is said to be particularly valuable to motorists and sport devotees, because it permits of a range of accurate vision at all angles, while the efficacy of spectacles is limited to a direct view.

These new lenses mark a great advance in optical technique," said a Harley Street eye-specialist. The International Congress of Ophthalmology has investigated and approved the claims made for the device.

"The use of these invisible substitutes for spectacles is already much more common than the public aspect. I have worn them for six months. I remove it every night and reinsert it in the morning."

These lenses will certainly mean a great diminution in the number of people doomed to wear spectacles; but I should not go so far as to say that they will mean the complete elimination of spectacles from the stock-in-trade of the oculist."

## Free Freight Policy Westerners Can Ship Breeding Stock Free Of Freight Charges under Certain Conditions

Major the Honorable Robert Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture, has announced a new free freight policy whereby breeders suitable for breeding stock bought by bona fide farmers and cattlemen at stockyards of the Port of William will be returned to the buyer's farm or ranch freight free. Application should be made to the nearest stockyard for the benefit of the policy. The concession extends to cattle of not less than twenty head and to horses of not less than twenty head. Free freight is obtained on the certificate of the authorized stockyard representative of the Dominion Live Stock Branch at point of purchase. It entitles the shipper to have his car of breeding stock loaded to his home station free of freight charges. The railway company assumes 25 per cent. of the freight and the Dominion Live Stock Branch the balance.

## Manitoba Public Works

The proposed Manitoba public works mentioned in the agreement between the Government of the province and of the Dominion, and which are to be got under way as soon as possible, have been unofficially estimated by engineers as involving a sum of \$5,000,000.

Women feel upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple effective remedy is the Mother's Greatest Friend, Mother's Own Tablets.

## Increase Elevator Capacity

The Alberta Wheat Pool has increased its storage capacity at the Pacific coast by a million bushels through the leasing of the terminal elevator at Victoria owned by the Panama Pacific Grain Co. Ltd. The Alberta Pool now has on the Pacific coast storage capacity for over 8,000,000 bushels of grain.

## Montreal Largest Inland Port

It is expected that the improved ship channels in the River St. Lawrence as far as Montreal, giving a 35-foot depth for ocean liners, will be completed by 1934. This will enable liners of 20,000 tons gross to sail to Montreal, 1,000 miles from the Atlantic, the largest inland port in the world.

Minard's Liniment refreshes the scalp.

## March Of Science Suggestion Is Made That There Are Feats Too Formidable For Best Brains To Fathom

Will the wonders of science never cease? The question was asked a long time ago, but it still leaps to the mind and even to the lips. When one reads of motion pictures of the circulation of the blood, of destruction of red-blood cells by sleeping sickness germs, of the breaking of plants and of injections of measured amounts of fluid into cells so small that a pin point could destroy many of them at a thrust, one can only blink and wait for still more astonishing announcements. The greatest surprise which science could possibly bring would be the confession that it had no more surprises. And yet there remain feats too formidable even for science. It may show a motion picture of bacteria in the blood, but it would be stamped by the problem of showing poetry in a good deal of current verse, no matter how powerful its microscope. It may show an amoeba dividing itself in two without any apparent cause, but it can't show the rule of reason meandering along tickler tape. It may show the movements of protoplasm through plant cells, but it doesn't show much as attempt to show the presence of logic in political speeches.

If it did show us these phenomena, we'd spot the picture by guessing that it wipe the dust off the microscope.—New York Evening Post.

## A Strange Contrast

Aviation Receiving Help But Railways In Former Years Were Hindered

The forecast which is being shown in the world of aviation contrasts strangely with the lack of vision which was shown when railways were at the same stage of development. The recent centenary celebrations of the opening of the first real railway in the world—the Liverpool and Manchester—emphasized the progress which was made in those early days in spite of the bitter opposition.

Towns and cities joined in the general opposition. When the Great Western Railway was being built, the Bath authorities insisted that the line should run outside the city boundaries with the result that the sharp curve there still checks all fast trains. A similar attitude was adopted by Bristol when the main station there, besides being on the outskirts, is so situated that improvements are difficult.

**ASTHMA VICTIMS.** The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrible policy than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which may fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such conditions Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many a completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

Low fares are causing many tax drivers in Poland to quit business.

Some people have an excuse for everything except lying.

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Little Helps For This Week

"O turn unto me, and have mercy upon me; give Thy strength unto Thy servant."—Psalm lxxvi, 16.

come to The Lord, for strength and patience.

To Do Thy Will; Help me, O Father, in this world of duty.

It is so difficult to bear with patience and allowance the faults of others. It is very mistaken to think that the great occasions of life only demand religious feelings and principles; it is in the everyday petty annoyances, the constant call upon our charity, forbearance, and meekness, that we feel the constant want of some stronger and more powerful stimulant than the feeling of the moment to smooth down the rubs of life, and make our existence one of peace and happiness.—Maria Here.

Tornadoes almost always move from southwest to northeast.

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Thursday, Dec 11th, 1930

B. J. Bennett, of Rockyford, Alta., is a visitor in town.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hines, of Ovenshield, were visitors to town, on Monday.

W. C. Smith, M.P., was a visitor in town for a brief while on Friday.

A. E. Boulton, of Edmonton, will be at the Empress Theatre, on Wednesday night, December 17, at 8 p.m. He has recently returned from Russia, where he was sent in the interests of the grain trade by the Grain Growers' Association. He will lecture on Russia and give his views on the present situation in Russia and the future of the grain trade.

Christmas Shopping  
Weather has been anything but what could be described as Christmas-like, being warm with almost a complete absence of snow. The wise shoppers are now selecting their Christmas presents and sending them away to their distant friends.

In the local stores one may see a very good selection of goods to choose from. Stocks have been bought in keeping with the season and times, and the judicious outlay of a little money will purchase wares which will be suitable for presents. Do your shopping locally and help to keep your money in the community.

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## NOTICE

For the convenience of Ratepayers, the Secretary will attend at Empress with the Roll, Saturday, December 20th, 1930. This will give an opportunity for payment of taxes before the addition of the 8 per cent penalty.

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## A LECTURE ON RUSSIA

By A. E. BOULTON  
of Edmonton. Was a recent visitor to Russia on behalf  
of U.G.G. Gives his view of conditions there.

at Empress Theatre,  
on Wednesday Evening, December 17  
Commencing 8 p.m. Silver Collection.

Health Service  
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GRANT FLEMING, M.D., - ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

**Measles**  
Of all the communicable diseases with which the human race has to contend, measles is the most readily spread. It is essentially a disease of childhood, very few escape it. Rarely seen under five months of age it reaches its greatest incidence between the sixth and seventh years.

The younger the child, the more serious is the condition. Among the communicable diseases of childhood, measles is seriously by parents, many of whom seem to regard it as an annoying experience which has to be gone through, or as the cutting of the teeth.

This attitude regarding measles as a trivial condition is not justifiable. True it is that the vast majority of children who contract this disease recover with no apparent ill results. It is also true, however, that measles destroys many lives. It may not appear so, but the child died of measles in many cases it will be said that death was due to bronchopneumonia. This is correct, but the child would not have developed bronchopneumonia.

It is a well-established fact that if children with fever or acute colds are put to bed, the condition later turns out to be measles, such children, because they have been kept warm and at rest in bed, are more apt to escape the serious complications. This suggests that bed is the place for the child who is sneezing, or who has a running nose and watery

## Here and There

After a trip through western Canada during which he and his fellow-directors studied at close range business and agricultural conditions in the four western provinces, E. W. Bentley, chairman and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, recently announced a programme of improvement and extension to be undertaken forthwith by his railway which will be beneficial to hold in conception and nation-wide in incidence. This work is planned to the present time from next year and 1932 and will furnish work for farmers and their work animals and absorb as much as possible of the surplus labor in towns and cities.

Speaking at Winnipeg after a tour of western Canada, with E. W. Bentley, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway General Sir Arthur Currie said he returned to the east "more proud, more confident of the country than ever before." Admitting that the times were uncertain and that anxious Sir Arthur said that wealth, opportunity and resources belonged to Canadians and the solution of nationwide depression was "up to our men and women and I believe in the Canadian breed." As an instance of the creation of new wealth in Canada, he cited the Peace River country with which he had been previously impressed.

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red eyes. The condition may not be measles, but it very often is, because measles begins with the same symptoms as the common cold, and in both cases, the child should be put to bed.

## Report of Cream Prices

For the week ending Nov. 20th, 1930, the following prices were reported paid by creameries per pound of butterfat, in several grades of cream, and at the points shown:  
Jasper Dairy, Edmonton, Special grade, 32c; No. 1, Calgary Creameries, special grade, 26c, No. 1, 27c, No. 2, 24c.  
Minimum: Special grade, 27c; No. 1, 25c, No. 2, 22c.

Storing Apples For  
The Winter's Use

Apples to be kept for use during the winter months should be carefully selected for that purpose. Early ripening sorts like Wealthy and Gravenstein, can hardly be kept past Christmas, so that later keeping varieties, like McIntosh, Northern Spy, Russet and Baldwin, should be selected for this purpose.

All kind fruit, or scabby fruit, should be discarded and only perfectly sound specimens utilized. If these are wrapped in oiled tissue or in ordinary tissue paper, keeping is greatly facilitated. Storing in bushel boxes is preferable to large containers, and these should be kept in a cellar where the temperature does not go above 40 degrees F., and does not fall below freezing. The average cement cellar, with a heating plant, is not satisfactory for apple storage. The best type of cellar is an ordinary dirt floor cellar without any artificial heat. In such a cellar, both temperature and moisture conditions are generally satisfactory for good keeping. In the event of a cement cellar being the only available place, it would be advisable to cover the

## COALS

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Standard Lethbridge Lump per ton ..... 6 60  
Petroleum Coke per ton ..... 12 60  
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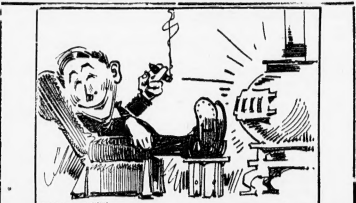
floor with several inches of saw dust, which should be kept well dampened down to provide the necessary humidity. Such a procedure, accompanied by wrapping and a temperature of from 40 degrees to 45 degrees F., should result in satisfactory storage conditions—Exp. Farms Note.

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